

REVISED DEFERRAL OF BUDGET AUTHORITY

MESSAGE

FROM

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

TRANSMITTING

A REPORT OF ONE REVISED DEFERRAL OF BUDGET AUTHORITY,
NOW TOTALING \$173 MILLION, PURSUANT TO 2 U.S.C. 683(a)(1)



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To the Congress of the United States:

In accordance with the Congressional Budget and Impoundment Control Act of 1974, I herewith report one revised deferral of budget authority, now totaling \$173 million.

The deferral affects programs of the Department of State.

WILLIAM J. CLINTON.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *August 2, 1999.*

SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT—REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 1013 OF
P.L. 93–344

This report updates Deferral No. 99–1A, which was transmitted to Congress on February 1, 1999.

This revision increases by \$72,276,278 the previous deferral of \$100,581,381 in the United States Emergency Refugee and Migration Assistance Fund, Department of State, resulting in a total deferral of \$172,857,659. This increase results from the deferral of new budget authority provided for FY 1999 in the FY 1999 Emergency Supplemental Appropriations Act (P.L. 106–31).

DEFERRAL OF BUDGET AUTHORITY—REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION
1013 OF P.L. 93–344

Agency: Department of State.

Bureau: Other.

Account: United States emergency refugee and migration assistance fund¹ (11X0400).

New budget authority	*\$195,000,000
Other budgetary resources	*75,412,337
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Total budgetary resources	*270,412,337
Amount deferred for entire year	*172,857,659
* Revised from previous report.	

Justification: This deferral withholds funds available for emergency refugee and migration assistance for which no determination has been made by the President to provide assistance as required by Executive Order No. 11922. Funds will be released as the President determines assistance to be furnished and designates refugees to be assisted by the Fund. This deferral action is taken under the provisions of the Antideficiency Act (31 U.S.C. 1512).

Section 501(a) of the Foreign Relations Authorization Act of 1976 (Public Law 94–141) and section 414(b)(1) of the Refugee Act of 1980 (Public Law 96–212) amended section 2(c) of the Migration and Refugee Assistance Act of 1962 (22 U.S.C. 2601) by authorizing a fund to enable the President to provide emergency assistance for unexpected urgent refugee and migration needs.

Executive Order No. 11922 of June 16, 1976, allocated all funds appropriated to the President for emergency refugee and migration assistance to the Secretary of State, but reserved for the President the determination of assistance to be furnished and the designation of refugees to be assisted by the Fund.

Estimated programmatic effect: None.



¹ This account was the subject of a similar deferral in FY 1998 (D98–7)